

START DRIVE FOR 1926 FAIR MEMBERS

Letters Being Sent Philadelphia Inviting Them to Join Organization

DUES ARE \$10 A YEAR

The Sesqui-Centennial Exhibition Association, through its secretary pro tem, Edward Robins, is sending out letters to prominent Philadelphians inviting them to become members.

The annual dues in the association are \$10. Many prominent people already have joined, but it is desired to arouse a city-wide interest in the exhibition project.

The letter sent out by Mr. Robins follows:

Fellow Citizens: You are cordially invited to become a member of the Sesqui-Centennial Exhibition Association, a corporation chartered by the State of Pennsylvania for the purpose of celebrating, in 1926, the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence.

The object of the association, as stated in the charter, is as follows:

"To educate the public by exhibiting artistic, mechanical, agricultural and horticultural products and providing public instruction in the arts and sciences, thereby celebrating the hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence by holding in the city of Philadelphia an exhibition of the progress of the United States in art, science and industry, in trade and commerce, and in the development of the products of the soil, the mine, the forest and the sea, to which exhibition the people of all other nations shall be invited to contribute evidences of their own progress to the end that better international understanding and more intimate commercial relationships may hasten the coming of universal peace."

The incorporation of a local association to inaugurate the movement has been the method adopted in the case of other national and international exhibitions, and the acceptance of membership imposes on you no personal liability whatever, except that of paying the annual dues of \$10, so long as you desire to continue a member.

The dues have been fixed at this small sum in order to permit a widespread popular subscription, and it is hoped that the representative citizens of this country will become members of this association and give it their united support.

It is too early at this time to give a detailed plan of the scope of the celebration, it is hoped that all of the objects stated in the charter will be fully carried out, and that co-operation will be obtained from the Government of the United States, the government of the several States and from foreign nations as well, so that the proposed exhibition will be in every way worthy of the occasion it will commemorate and hasten to bring about the world's greatest present need, an enduring economic peace, founded upon a mutual good will of all people.

The checks for the annual dues in the association should be drawn to the order of "The Sesqui-Centennial Exhibition Association," and may be sent to Edward Robins, Room 211, City Hall.

Run Down in Front of Hospital Miss Mary Burns, technician in the Memorial Hospital, last night was struck by an automobile in front of the institution. She was taken inside and was found to have a fractured collarbone and bruises of the head and body.

Albert Hames, of 4705 Sheldon street, Roxborough, the driver of the automobile, will be given a hearing this morning in the Manayunk police station before Magistrate Price.

P. O. Official



COLONEL HUBERT WORK Of Pueblo, Col., the new First Assistant Postmaster General. Colonel Work is a past president of the American Medical Association

'T WAS SOME FIGHT

Flatly Encounter, Sixteenth and Rodman Streets, Exciting Event

A belated argument over the Dempsey-Carpenter fight last night led to another fisty encounter at Sixteenth and Rodman streets.

Samuel Wilkins, 1332 South Thirtieth street, and Archie Clarkson, 727 Leominster street, were the contestants; William Sherman, 754 South Hicks street, was the referee, and John Brown, 1432 Lombard street, was the man who stepped into the ring and offered to "meet all comers south of Poplar street." All four men are Negroes.

Lieutenant Penn, of the Twelfth and Pine streets station, declared the cars were blocked on the street by a crowd of 800 people witnessing the scrap, which took place inside of a clothes-line ring, with towels, a water bucket and everything. He arrested the four principals.

Magistrate O'Brien told the men that he would be the referee and give the decision to the police. Wilkins was given thirty days, Clarkson and Sherman five days and Brown got off because he "hadn't had time to do anything."

Lieutenant Penn also said the crowd broke all records in disappearing when the patrol came. Most of them lost their hats in so doing, and one man crashed into a briber pole, thought somebody hit him, and squared off with the pole.

City's Cash Balance \$1,787,297.23 Expenditures far exceeded receipts for the city during the last week, according to the report of the City Treasurer issued today. During the last week receipts were computed at \$814,417.04, while payments made during the same period amounted to \$2,105,372.50. The balance on hand, not including the sinking fund, was given as \$1,781,297.23.

McCles Galleries

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MERCHANT-SLEUTH TRAPS THREE GIRLS

Tell-Tale Tag Gives Clue to Shoplifting in Store of Competitor

DRESSES HAD BEEN TAKEN

Three young women, accused of shoplifting, met their downfall through a tag left protruding from a large paper bag one of them carried. They were arrested yesterday and held today under \$500 bail each by Magistrate O'Brien.

The prisoners are Lucie Tur, nineteen years old, of 235 Monroe street; Eva Lamboni, twenty-two years old, of 1118 South Tenth street, and Rose De Krouse, nineteen years old, of 1833 South Eleventh street. They were caught in the store of Louis Kaplan, at 707 South street.

At the hearing Kaplan said the girls entered his store and asked to be shown some articles of wearing apparel. While he was moving about the store, observing the articles wanted, he noticed one of the girls held a large paper bag, well filled. A tag protruded.

Knowing the tag would have been removed by the merchant if the goods had been purchased and paid for, Kaplan took another look and found it bore the name of a friend, M. Silverman, a woman's wear dealer, at Sixth and South streets.

Calling up Silverman, Kaplan informed three young women had been in the Silverman shop and had not bought anything, but two dresses were missing after they had left. Silverman hurried to Kaplan's store and identified both the girls and the dresses in the bag, which also contained many articles of unknown ownership.

SO. PHILA GOES VOLSTEAD

Low Pressure Reduces Supply in Large District

Hundreds of early-rising residents of South Philadelphia were unable to get water from the pipes this morning. There were many compelled to leave home without the usual preliminary wash, shave or breakfast.

The trouble was due to low pressure, not a break in any of the mains or at the reservoir at Thirty-third street and Montgomery avenue, the principal feeder for that section.

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Always Healthful

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GO ON WATERMELON SPREE

Crowd at Broad and South Streets Benefits by Collision

South Philadelphia went on a watermelon spree last night. The spree started because Harry S. Pugh, 283 South Fifty-second street, who was testing an automobile on South Broad street, lost control of the car and bumped another machine at South street. The jolted car hit Joseph Dalereco's watermelon wagon. Dalereco and his assistant, David Salter, were thrown from the wagon. The horses took fright and started to run.

At Broad and Bainbridge streets the runaway team came to grief against a pole. The contents of the wagon, sixty watermelons in all, were scattered on the street and sidewalk. They say crowds gather quickly. This one broke all records. They like watermelons in that locality, and they especially like them when they get them for nothing. Some snatched up the pieces of the melons which split in the street. Others grabbed whole melons and carried them off under their arms. Some enjoyed the delicacy on the spot, others took them off to their families. The street was literally covered with green rinds and black seeds. The red parts of the melons somehow disappeared.

Patrolman Stamper expressed surprise and then amazement at the sudden popularity of watermelon. Then he traced the evidence back to the source and finally arrested Pugh as the only visible cause. The latter was held in \$800 bail for further hearing by Magistrate O'Brien.

PLACE FOR "HOT" RECORDS

Stolen Discs Found in Stove and Man is Arrested

Several dozen phonograph records were found hidden in an old stove in the home of William Kohlenberg, of Haddonfield, an American Express Co. detective testified today before Recorder Stackhouse in Camden.

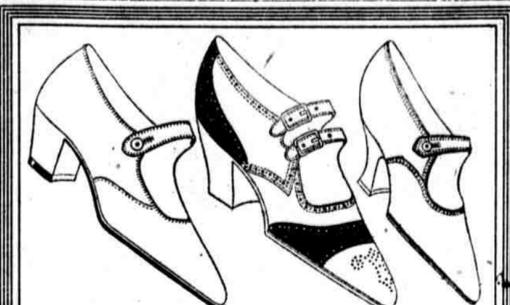
Kohlenberg was a freight assessor at the Camden office. He was charged with the larceny of \$300 worth of merchandise, including the records, clothing and other articles, and was remanded to jail in default of \$500 bail.

Philadelphia Realtors Dine

The Philadelphia Real Estate Board held a convention luncheon at the board headquarters, 1129 Walnut street, today. The luncheon was arranged by the House Committee, of which Samuel Gayley is chairman, and the Luncheon Committee, of which Robert J. Nash is chairman. A number of delegates to the Realtors' Convention in Chicago last week made reports.

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HERE'S the news you've been waiting for! Every summer shoe in stock going—all sizes—all materials—all leathers including white. Values slashed from \$12.50 down to less than half. Biggest opportunity of the season to vacationists! Big days—Thursday, Friday, Saturday!

RUMMAGE SALE EXTRA

Newest summer models—all varieties at ridiculous prices. \$10 values knocked right down to 1.00 1.95 2.95

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Almost Our Entire Stock of Men's Suits Reduction One-third!



Please bear in mind that the reduction has been made from THIS SEASON'S low prices—which means you can now select this fine clothing and pay one-half the price equal grades cost last year. In some instances prices are now less than one-half those of 1920. Every day hundreds of more men profit by this opportunity. Thousands of dollars have already been saved. If you appreciate quality in clothing, you should make it a point to secure your share of these savings to-morrow. Too many groups for specific mention, but here are a few—

Serge Suits With Extra Trousers \$21.50 H., S. & M. and "Alco" Suits \$27.50

Blue Serge Suits in youthful and conservative styles and in practically a complete range of sizes. All with two pairs of trousers.

Smart Suits With Extra Trousers \$24.50 Our Very Finest Suits Reduced \$44.50

Suits of all-wool worsteds, cassimeres and tweeds, in smart, new styles. All with an extra pair of trousers.

Men's Suits With Extra Trousers \$29.50 White Flannel Trousers at \$6.75 and \$9.75

Suits of fine worsteds and of fine-twill blue and gray serge. Nearly all sizes in regular, stout, slender, tall and short proportions.

150 of the Finest Cotton Dresses \$12.75

All at Reductions of One-Third and More

The Lovely Model Sketched Was Originally \$27.50

The sketch shows a beautiful combination of voile-and-linen—one of the many fine, high-class models of which there are but a few of a kind, in this instance there are five. Others are of the fine imported Swiss with embroidered dots, of imported ginghams, also some exceedingly smart tailored linens. A beautiful assortment of styles and shades, and a good range of sizes in the lot, including some lovely voiles in extra sizes.

Gingham and Voile Dresses, \$5.00 to \$7.50

Tunic, panel and straight-line models, in dark and medium shades, many with white vestees and collars.

Summer Silk Frocks, \$18.75 to \$25.00

A fine assortment of taffetas and crepes de chine, also Tricolette Dresses, beaded, embroidered or plain-tailored in plaited effects. Navy, brown, black, white and flesh.

Remarkable Shoe Values

We recently began a great clearance of Summer Footwear for men, women and children. The collection comprised short lines and styles not to be re-ordered. Prices were greatly reduced, in many instances to one-half and less than half. In many of the original lots there still remains good selection, owing to the fact that quantities were large to begin with. In addition, many new lots have recently been added—thereby making the assortment practically as broad as at first. Among the outstanding money-saving opportunities—

Women's Pumps and Oxfords—now \$7.95

Lines from our regular high-grade stock. Gray Ooze Cross-strap Pumps, Gun-metal Calf Pumps, Brown Satin Pumps, Tan Calf Strap Pumps, Field Mouse Kid and Brown Satin Pumps.

Women's Seamless Pumps—now \$3.90

Patent leather, tan calf and black gun-metal; turned soles with covered Baby Louis heels.

Women's White High Shoes—\$6.95

High-grade Laced Shoes of white reignskin cloth and of white glazed kidskin.

Women's White Pumps and Oxfords—\$9.90

White Reignskin Seamless Pumps and Buckskin Sports Oxfords, black or tan leather strappings.

Men's Fine Silk Neckties 95c

WORTH ONE-HALF MORE TO THREE TIMES THIS PRICE

A great number of the silks come from France and Italy and are in designs distinctive of their fine origin. A generous price-concession on the part of one of America's largest Neckwear houses makes these savings possible—95c.

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, 50c OF LINEN—A very fine weave. All initials to begin with.

Everything arranged for baby's comfort. Everything parents can desire in design, finish and making, and in price—

Baby Coaches Remarkable Values

Three-quarter-size Pullman Coaches, now \$26.25

Chariots, adjustable back, now \$35.50

Stroller Go-Carts, now \$16.75

White Bassinets, \$8.25

Strong and light in weight, of wood, enameled white, complete with springs and cotton pad. Good height, on casters. Size 18x36 inches. SPECIAL at \$8.25.

Boys' Blouses \$1.00

All the summer Blouses the boy needs at less than regular price—

Fine Fancy-striped Blouses with collars attached—\$1.00

Sports Blouses of fast mercerized cotton pique, with convertible collar and long sleeves—\$2.00

The Justly Celebrated Henry F. Miller PIANOS

—Are sold in Philadelphia exclusively at this Store. Miller Grand—\$1050 & \$1200 Upright Pianos—\$700 & \$750

Woven Hammocks Now \$3.00 to \$8.00

Stretch out at your ease in a comfortable Woven Hammock during leisure hours. And be sure to take one on the picnic or camping trip. Easily adjusted on porch or swung from trees. Many patterns, all with spreader and valance, and all reduced—now \$3.00 to \$8.00.

Dainty Refreshments

—For serving cool refreshments, include—

Light-cut Glasses—15c to 35c.

Light-cut Iced Tea Glasses—40c each.

Light-cut Iced Tea Sets, with spoons and covered pitcher and six glasses—\$2.65 a set.

Amber-colored Sherberts—35c.

Amber-colored Goblets—35c.

Colonial Table Tumblers—5c.

SERVING TRAYS with inset—\$1.00.

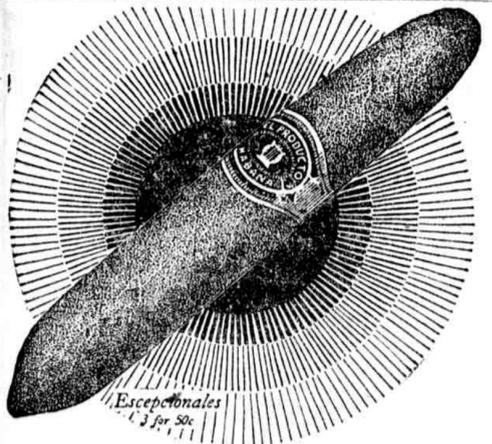
Use the Wavette For a Becoming Coiffure

With the Wavette, of fine, wavy hair, covering the entire head, a woman can dress her hair in any way that is becoming. A boon in summer weather. Price, 25c.

Wavy Switches, 24-inch, special—\$7.50

All-around Transformations, special—\$9.90

Manicuring—50c



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New and lower prices are now effective on Packard Single-Six enclosed models:

SEDAN \$3975

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a saving of \$275 and \$400, respectively.

A reduction of \$665 was made in the price of both the Single-Six Touring Car and of the Runabout on November 1st. These open models now sell for

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